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PIONEERS

Plan for Annual Picnic—Ft. Meigs Commission Organized—Memorial to Chas. O. Brigham.

The trustees of the Maumee Valley Pioneer and Historical association held a meeting at the office of the president, D. K. Hollenbeck Saturday afternoon, at which preliminary arrangements were made for the annual picnic of the Maumee Valley Pioneer association were made.

A committee consisting of D. K. Hollenbeck and C. F. Chapman, Perrysburg; J. M. Wolcott and G. H. Blaker, Maumee, and Frank Van Fleet, Waterville, was appointed to fix time and place for the picnic, arrange a programme, secure speakers and make general arrangements for the picnic. Foster Pratt is president of the association by virtue of his age, and J. M. Wolcott is secretary. It is probable that the picnic will be held (Continued on Eighth Page.)

Frightfully Burned.

Chas. W. Moore, a machinist, of Ford City, Pa., had his hand frightfully burned in an electrical furnace. He applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve with the usual result: "A quick and perfect cure." Greatest healer on earth for Burns, Wounds, Sores, Eczema and Piles. 25c at Wm. Comstock & Son's, druggists.

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DESPONDENCY

Over Poor Health Caused Jacob Stondinger, to End His Life.

Jacob Stondinger, a well-to-do farmer, 30 years old, who lived two miles west of Rising Sun, committed suicide last Friday night in his pantry by cutting his throat with a butcher knife. Despondency over poor health was the cause.

PROF. HODGES

Leaves the School Room for Editorial Sanctum--He has Purchased the Prairie Depot Observer.

Prof. H. L. Hodges, who for the past five years has been superintendent of the Tontogany schools, has purchased the Prairie Depot Observer from Representative George E. Reed. Mr. Hodges has moved his family from Tontogany to Prairie Depot and is now in full charge of the Observer.

Mr. Hodges is a scholarly gentleman with some practical newspaper experience, and will doubtless succeed in his new journalistic venture.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING

Fred Bower, a well known farmer residing near Sugar Ridge, was killed outright by lightning, last Friday afternoon. He was assisting his neighbor, Charles Eldridge, in harvesting oats, and when the storm came up Mr. Eldridge took the team to the barn, leaving Bower to cover the binder with a canvass.

When the storm subsided Mr. Eldridge returned to the field to look for Bower and found his dead body lying beside the binder. A bolt of lightning had struck him on the side of the head and breast, causing instant death. Indications showed that Bower had placed the canvass over one side of the machine and had gone around to the other side of the machine when the fatal bolt struck him.

Mr. Bower was about 32 years of age and leaves a wife and two small children. He carried \$1000 life insurance in the Gleaners.

TIME IS THE TEST

The Testimony of Perrysburg People Stands the Test.

The test of time is what tells the tale. The public soon find out when misrepresentations are made, and merit alone will stand the test of time.

Perrysburg people appreciate merit, and many months ago local citizens publicly endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills; they do so still. Would a citizen make the statement which follows unless convinced that the article was just as represented? A cure that lasts is the kind that every sufferer from kidney ills is looking for.

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WOOD CO. DEMOCRATS

Will Hold Convention to Nominate County Ticket.

The Democrats of Wood county will hold their nominating convention at Bowling Green, Wednesday, August 15. Delegates will also be selected to the state, congressional and circuit judicial conventions, according to the official call for the convention, which was issued this week by the Democratic central committee.

Judge Frank Taylor of North Baltimore, will be temporary chairman of the convention, and Milan Jameson of Dowling, temporary secretary.

Charles Zingg of Lime City, James H. LaFarree of Bowling Green, and John Whitker of Weston township, have announced themselves as candidates for the nomination of county commissioner. It is understood that E. J. Alkire of Bowling Green, will ask for the nomination of sheriff, and that W. R. Walker of Custar, is being urged as a candidate for recorder. No one has been mentioned thus far for infirmity director.

SHOOT FOR McCOOK TROPHY

The shoot for the McCook trophy was held Saturday afternoon by the Co. H, team, Second Regiment, at the range east of Bowling Green. The result was that the Co. H team lost out by one point, Ada, who held the shoot Thursday, making 623, and Co. H 622. Though the score is unofficial, it is very probable that Ada will get the trophy.

The team from Co. H is composed of Brislin, Humes, Simonds, Mertes and Myers. Humes made the best score, making 48 at a distance of 500 yards. Capt. Heilman of Sycamore, was present to judge the work of the marksmen.

INDEPENDENT TICKET

Wood county may have an independent ticket in the field this fall. A meeting of Independents has been called for Saturday afternoon of this week at 2 o'clock, at the city park, Bowling Green. The object stated in the call is to consider county, congressional, judiciary and state political matters.

But little is heard about the matter and just who is behind the movement does not appear.

MASS S. S. CONVENTION

There will be a mass Sunday school convention of the schools from Washington, Grand Rapids and Milton townships, at Weston, on Sunday, August 12th. There will be a special session held at each of the churches, one in the forenoon, one in the afternoon, and another in the evening. The chief speaker will be I. N. Halliday, secretary of the Lucas County Sunday School association. A Bible drill and round table will also be features.

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WOOD COUNTY TEACHERS

The County Teachers' institute will be held in Bowling Green in the Central school building, Aug. 13 to 17. Dr. R. N. Roark, of Worcester, Mass., and Superintendent F. B. Dyer, of Cincinnati, will be the instructors. The music will be in charge of Miss Charlotte Field, supervisor of music in Findlay.

A Healing Gospel.

The Rev. J. C. Warren, pastor of Sharon Baptist church, Belair, Ga., says of Electric Bitters: "It's a God-send to mankind. It cured me of lame back, stiff joints, and complete physical collapse. I was so weak it took me half an hour to walk a mile. Two bottles of Electric Bitters have made me so strong I have just walked three miles in 50 minutes and fell like walking three more. It's made a new man of me." Greatest remedy for weakness and all Stomach, Liver and Kidney complaints. Sold under guarantee at Wm. Comstock & Son's drug store. Price 50c.

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ANDREW C. ROACH.

Andrew C. Roach is making a strong canvas in his candidacy for nomination for the office of sheriff of Wood county.

"Andy," as he is familiarly called, is one of the best known men in the county and numbers his personal friends by large figures.

Of him the Bowling Green Tribune has the following to say:

During the last seven years or a little more, he has been chief deputy in the sheriff's office, and during that time he has made many friends and won the respect of all he has come in contact with. In the office he has proved an efficient and reliable man; in the field he has shown himself to be shrewd, far seeing, fearless and conscientious.

Andrew C. Roach was born in Perrysburg, September 5, 1874, and there grew to manhood. He received the

best schooling the village could give and then took a course in the Davis Business College, in Toledo.

After leaving the business school, he took up electrical work. Four years he spent with the Postal Telegraph company, wiring offices. Then he accepted a position with the Maumee Valley Railway company, and when the Toledo, Bowling Green & Southern Traction company hunted up a man to take charge of the construction work, Mr. Roach was the man chosen and it was under his direction that the road was built as far south as Mermill, where he resigned to accept the position he now holds, E. L. Kingsbury having been elected to the sheriff's office.

Mr. Roach has been in the office every day since the entrance of Sheriff Kingsbury and now he feels that he is competent to hold the reins of the office.

GILBERT Z. AVERY

The Oldest Mason in Wood County, Dies at B. G. Saturday.

Gilbert Z. Avery, one of the oldest pioneers of Wood county, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Fanny Lowell in Bowling Green, Saturday morning, at 9 o'clock. Funeral services were held at the home at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, under the auspices of Wood County Lodge F. & A. M., and interment was made in Union Hill cemetery.

Gilbert Z. Avery was born in New York state and came to Wood county in 1831. In the early days he was a famous hunter, and after the C. H. & D. railroad was built he conducted a stage line between Tontogany and Bowling Green for a number of years. He enjoyed the distinction of being the oldest Freemason in Wood county having been initiated into Wood County Lodge No. 112, in the loft of Emilius Wood's log cabin on Tontogany creek in 1843. Soon after that the lodge was moved to Bowling Green, where Mr. Avery was made a Master Mason. He remained a faithful and active member of the lodge of which he was secretary for a number of years.

He was one of three brothers who married three Meeker sisters.

Fourteen children came into Mr. Avery's home. They were Fannie, Mrs. Lowell, W. E. Avery of Bowling Green; John B. Avery, Pine Bluff, Ark.; Polly, deceased; Lewis Avery, a deputy sheriff in St. Louis, Mo.; Franklin Avery, who was shot recently in the west by a desperado, while acting as deputy sheriff; Mary Jane, deceased; Anne E., deceased; Gilbert Avery and Mrs. Ada Sly of Bowling Green; Mrs. Ada Porter, of Weston; Mrs. Emma Glenn, Manassa, Col.; and the youngest child, James Avery, a farmer residing near Bowling Green on the old homestead.

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COURT HOUSE NEWS

Miscellaneous Business Matters Transacted in Temple of Justice.

Joseph Repola and Louis Palumbo, two Italians from Pittsburg, will have to answer to common pleas court to a charge of breaking into a Pennsylvania railroad car at Latcha. They were arrested last week by Toledo authorities and turned over to Sheriff Reece, and on Saturday pleaded "guilty" in Justice Nearing's court at Bowling Green. They were held to the grand jury under bond, failing which they were committed to the county jail.

It is believed that the two suspects have been engaged in visiting camps of Italian laborers shortly after pay day for the purpose of robbery. At any rate they put in their appearance at Latcha where a number of Italians are engaged on a construction gang on the Pennsylvania railroad, shortly after pay day, broke into the car in which the Italians slept, and finding no money carried off shoes, revolvers and several other articles.

Wm. Bretsch, one of the speeders who was taken in by our officials Sunday, July 15, has filed a petition in error in common pleas court.

Bretsch, through his attorney, Frank Sala, alleges that Mayor F. E. Bowers doesn't know anything. According to the petition, Bowers does not know the law, nor what consideration he should give evidence or how to make a decision, or in fact, much of anything.

The petition sets forth some law, or fifteen reasons why the sentence of the court should be overruled and set aside.

The case is the outcome of proceedings when Mayor Bowers fined the Toledo autoists \$117 for speeding.

Bretsch says that he will carry the case to the supreme court as a test case.

Seth M. Jordan has begun an action against W. H. Millikin and Jack Frost, alleging fraud in an oil deal.

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SUBURBAN NEWS

From Our Surrounding Towns and Neighbors.

Stony Ridge, August 1, '06
Miss Dora Hazel of Luckey is spending the week with John Warns and wife.

Miss Alma Greiner is spending a few days of this week at Deyl's Lake.

Frank Lowther of Albany, O., visited with A. Warns and family a few days this week.

Frank Kurfis is the happy daddy of a little boy that arriyed Monday evening.

Mrs. England with other relatives of Dayton and Rev. John Born, wife and daughter are visiting Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

The little daughter of Ulrick Warns and wife is on the sick list.

Dorothy, the little daughter of Wygant Smith and wife, aged one and a half years, died on Saturday last and was buried Monday morning in Perrysburg, the funeral being held at St. Rose of Lima church. Many friends extend sympathy to the bereaved family.

Lime City, August 1, '06

While Julius Franz and wife were attending church last Sunday morning, Lusher Miller and family of Luckey, John Warns and family, Herman Franz, wife and daughter and John Franz of Stony Ridge called at their home and when they returned they found an elegant dinner awaiting them. The occasion was their 34th wedding anniversary and was made a pleasant event.

O. Ingalsbe and wife, Henry Dauer and wife and Henry Brady and wife visited the city of Columbus last Sunday.

Fred Bauman has moved his family to Toledo, he will be missed by many friends.

Mrs. George Caldwell and daughter, Miss Jessie and Mrs. W. Kerns returned after a pleasant visit with friends at West Mansfield, O.

Waterville, July 25, '06

Miss Tillie Getz of Dowling returned home after a week's visit with her cousin, Anna Getz.

Mrs. Stephens and children visited with Mrs. John Getz and children, Sunday.

Herm Starr, wife and babe of Perrysburg visited with Anthony Missler and family at Haskins, Sunday.

Hobart, Aug. 1, '06.

Mrs. Dan McQuillian called on Mrs. Chas. Puse Monday afternoon.

John Mogle and family and Mrs. Wm. Bauer of Lime City were guests of John Bench and wife Sunday.

Ed. Stauffer, wife and son Elmer visited Will Burdo and wife of Rossford, Sunday.

John Swartz called on Ed. Mandell Sunday.

Ed. Muhl and wife visited Fred Neitz and wife of Moline Sunday.

Wm. Chandler and wife and daughter Miss Emily Strudwick visited John Swartz and family Sunday.

Richard Perkins of East Toledo spent the past week at the home of Dan McQuillian and wife.

Jacob Swartz and wife, Henry Shoemaker and wife of Lime City John Smith and wife and Miss Edith Smith of this place were Sunday guests of Chas. Swartz and wife.

Fred Felsler of Toledo returned home after a weeks visit with Robert Nietz and wife.

Weaver Bros., completed a well at the school house recently.

Bates, Aug. 1, '06

Charles Thaiss, wife and daughter Valma visited Chas. Thaiss, Sr., and wife Saturday and Sunday.

Henry Hahn and wife were calling on friends in Toledo Monday.

Miss Emma Gill of Toledo was visiting with her sister Mrs. Philip Artz and family in the country.

Mrs. Jacob Artz of Toledo was visiting with friends at Woodville the past week.

Henry Hahn and family Sundayed with George Kope and family of Perrysburg.

Miss Lydia Thaiss called on Miss Elsie Hahn Thursday evening.

Miss Margery Kopp visited Miss (Continued on Eighth Page.)